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The moving finger writes; and, having writ,  
Moves on; nor all your piety nor wit  
Shall lure it back to cancel half a line,  
Nor all your tears wash out a word of it.  
—Omar Khayyam.

Perhaps Cook has lost himself in his photographed wilds of the North Pole.

Every person who has given something to make others happy is sure to have a Merry Christmas. It matters not under what name the giving goes.

Probably Judge Woodruff decided that he had to shape his own career in life and could not stop to find out what the other fellow thought about it.

Anarchists had a field day on Dec. 22, 1909, that gave a Christmas warning of how much must be done before absolute peace and good will prevails throughout the world.

"Shot-gun diplomacy" is the new brand that has been brought into existence by Secretary Knox. Some of his Washington friends are worrying that he might hit a big fellow and start a real row.

Admiral Holiday should have the much desired larger dock at Pearl Harbor. If it requires Hawaii to call on the whole Pacific coast to get in and support the appropriation. And this Territory should so conduct itself that it may have reason to expect support from the Pacific coast.

If an officer of the County Government has committed a criminal offense, the Grand Jury is the proper authority to deal with him. The community has had enough of the work of the gang stepped in the greater criminality of surviving to convict a public officer on manufactured evidence of confessed crooks.

It is remarkable how anything connected with Mr. Taft shies at being associated with Hawaii. Some Grand Rapids furniture people have made a chair from Koa wood for President Taft. The wood was obtained during the Congressional trip to the Philippines. Newspapers from Maine to California are noticing this chair and the Koa wood, which is represented as coming from the Philippines, Japan, anywhere in fact except Hawaii. Why is it that Big Brother Bill does not speak up and announce to the world that Hawaii is the only place on earth producing Koa that's fit to build a Presidential chair?

## CHRISTMAS GIVING.

This is the period of the year when the poor man is wishing that he were rich, while the rich man may be wishing that there was no such holiday as Christmas. During the past decade there have been indications of the fact that the public is losing sight of the real spirit of the Yuletide period.

Christ's birth brought to the world its greatest blessing. His acts and His teachings humanized mankind as never before. More, they brought tidings of the salvation which is in faith and deeds.

From the Divine One who came among men for the purpose of redeeming them of their sins the world has gained an idea of the meaning of the words "humanity" and "self-sacrifice." Because of this idea there is ever a manifestation of good will between man and man toward Christmas.

The gift which is given unselfishly is worth keeping.

The gift which carries love or esteem is very desirable.

A wish from the heart is better than a jewel given grudgingly.

Probably the noblest Christmas present is that which is bought with the thought of bringing comfort to the poor.

The question which everyone should propound to himself after the holidays should be, What good did I do with my time or money? Not, How many people did I gratify? And What is the burden of the debt which I have contracted?

## HAWAII SCHOOL FACTS.

No. XX.

AGE, ATTENDANCE, COMPULSORY AND VOLUNTARY — PUBLIC SCHOOLS, HAWAII — COMPULSORY SIX TO FIFTEEN YEARS.

AGES FOR FREE ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS (1904 Report Commissioner of Education at Washington.)

Five to twenty-one years—Maine, New York, Mississippi, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, New Mexico, Idaho, Virginia, South Dakota.

Six to twenty-one years—Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Florida, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Ohio, Indiana, Colorado, Arizona, Washington, Oregon and California.

Six to seventeen years—District of Columbia.

Six to eighteen years—Georgia, Louisiana, Utah and Nevada.

Six to twenty years—Kentucky, Missouri and North Dakota.

Four to twenty years—New Jersey and Wisconsin.

Five to twenty years—Michigan.

Seven to seventeen years—Texas.

Seven to twenty-one years—Alabama.

Unlimited—Vermont, Rhode Island and Connecticut.

Five to unlimited—New Hampshire.

COMPULSORY AGE

Six to fourteen years—Indiana and California.

Seven to thirteen years—Rhode Island.

Seven to fourteen years—Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Jersey, Kentucky, Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa and New Mexico.

Seven to fifteen years—Maine, Michigan and Nebraska.

Seven to sixteen years—Wyoming.

Eight to fourteen years—New Hampshire, District of Columbia, West Virginia, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana, Arizona, Utah, Nevada, Idaho, Oregon and Colorado.

Eight to fifteen years—Vermont, Kansas and Washington.

Eight to sixteen years—Pennsylvania, Maryland, Ohio and Minnesota.

No compulsory law—Delaware, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory and Missouri.

## POLITICAL DEBTS AND PUBLIC SERVICE.

What payment of political debts with public office means to the public service is brought forcibly to the attention of the American people by Secretary MacVeagh in that portion of his annual report dealing with the sugar frauds and other irregularities recently come to light in the New York customs house.

Secretary MacVeagh says: "The study of the causes of the demoralization which has been revealed is still incomplete, but the main causes are evident.

"It is clear, for instance, that the influence of local politics and politicians upon the customs service has been most deleterious, and has promoted the laxity and low tone which prepare and furnish an inviting soil for dishonesty and fraud. Unless the customs service can be released from the payment of political debts and exactions, and from meeting the supposed exigencies of political organizations, big and little, it will be impossible to have an honest service for any length of time.

"Any considerable share of the present cost of this demoralization to the public revenues to the efficiency of the service and to public and private morality is a tremendous amount to pay in mere liquidation of the small debts of political leaders."

This satisfaction of political debts by the appointment of incompetents is as disastrous to public service in municipalities as in any branch of the Federal service. After Honolulu has had its full experience, it will finally come to the adoption of civil service rules in all the principal departments, and thus reduce the number of incompetents to the minimum.

One difficulty with which this city has had to contend is that leaders, who would naturally be expected to support the rules that immediately reward efficiency and scorn to use any public service to pay for political jobbery, have been the first to adopt, and so far as in them lies, establish the spoils system.

But of course, with the coming of the new year, even some of the most assertive supporters of good government in Honolulu as well as in Washington, hope to improve.

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"A. Y. C." on a box of candy is what "Sterling" means on silver.

Alexander Young Cafe

What Hawaii contributes.

Hawaii still holds its place as one of the most profitable customs districts in the whole United States. Despite the great development of the Northwest and the vast empire of "back country" whose imports pass through the custom house of Puget Sound, Hawaii is still as twelfth on the list of big ones and next above—not below as many might expect—the Puget Sound country.

This little Territory of ours is next in revenue value to the customs district of Cuyahoga, Ohio, with its custom house at Cleveland, which is the port of entry for one of the most populous and prosperous areas of the whole country. We are only six points removed from our next door neighbor, San Francisco, that metropolis of the West, admittedly a great city and a distributing point for a wonderfully rich and growing commonwealth.

ALL that comes in at the customs houses of Honolulu is consumed in the Territory of Hawaii. Therefore the record as given in the annual report of the Secretary of the Treasury may well stamp this Territory as the greatest revenue producer for its area and population of any State or Territory of the American Union.

The figures given are as follows:

| Custom House                 | Duties and tonnage tax. |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. New York, N. Y. ....      | \$198,638,516.33        |
| 2. Boston, Mass. ....        | 27,150,007.19           |
| 3. Philadelphia, Pa. ....    | 18,585,481.11           |
| 4. Chicago, Ill. ....        | 9,166,632.47            |
| 5. New Orleans, La. ....     | 6,967,534.79            |
| 6. San Francisco, Cal. ....  | 6,528,629.68            |
| 7. Baltimore, Md. ....       | 3,789,683.64            |
| 8. St. Louis, Mo. ....       | 2,306,443.66            |
| 9. Detroit, Mich. ....       | 2,131,968.94            |
| 10. Tampa, Fla. ....         | 1,745,566.17            |
| 11. Cuyahoga (Cleveland) ..  | 1,642,367.64            |
| 12. Hawaii ....              | 1,386,756.27            |
| 13. Puget Sound, Wash. ....  | 1,379,035.88            |
| 14. Buffalo Creek, N.Y. .... | 1,286,824.31            |
| 15. Minnesota, Minn. ....    | 1,125,202.18            |

## Waterhouse Trust

### Real Estate for Sale

Well, we have sold our College Hills bargain advertised last week. Our bargains seem to take.

Here are a few more:

Two building lots in Manoa, \$2,000 and \$950 respectively. Good soil, good elevation and price and terms right.

At Kaimuki and Twelfth Avenue we have four (4) of the best lots left. This is the locality that has an unrivaled view of Honolulu Harbor and the Waianae Mountains, and where the best residences in the tract have been built. These lots are cleared and improved. A bargain at \$3,800.

## Waterhouse Trust

Fort and Merchant Streets.

# Holiday Announcement

We are pleased to offer at this season an assortment of toilet articles larger and better than we have ever had. The quality is not surpassed anywhere.

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HOUBIGANTS—Ideal, Royal, Rose Ideal, Violet Ideal.  
ROGER & GAILLET—Violette de Parme, Heliotrope Blanc, Boquet d'Amour, Indian Hay, Fleur d'Amour, Souvenir de la Cour, Fervente de Chine.  
HUDNUTS—Fazum du Barry, Yankey Clover, Extreme Violet.  
RICKSECKERS—Gyp, Ping Pong, Attar Tropical, Violet, Edgewood Violet, Attar Violet.  
PIVERS—La Trefle incarnat, Azures, Floramye, Safranor.

GUERLAINS—Jicky.  
KERCHOFFS—Djer Kiss.  
GOSNELL'S CHERRY BLOSSOM.  
CROWN—Crabapple Blossom.  
JERGENS—Crushed Roses.  
MUELEN'S RHINE VIOLETS.  
PINAUDS—Violette Embaume.  
ROYAL—Violette Ambre.  
WHITLACHS—Flower Perfumes.

## TOILET WATERS

Violet, White Rose, Floramye, Safranor, Trefle, Maybells, Ideal, Lavender, Crushed Roses, Azures, Dactylis, Ping Pong, Gold Queen, Violette de Parme.

## SACHET POWDERS

Golf Queen, Violet, Trefle, Djer Kiss, Ping Pong, Du Barry, Carnation Pink, Ideal, Safranor, Violette de Parme.

## TOILET POWDERS

Colgates, Eastmans, Hudnuts, Rickseckers, Mennens, Houbigants, Riveris, Roger & Gaillet, Williams, Jergens, Kerchoffs.

## TOILET ACCESSORIES

Hand Mirrors, Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes, Gillette Razors, Manicure Sets, Manicure Scissors, Files and Clippers, Dagget & Ramsdell's Cold Cream.

# Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd.

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Four fine lots in the best district in

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These lots are a bargain.

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Bethel Street

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Young Lady Clinging to Buggy Attached to Runaway Horse is Saved by Officer and Gives Reward.

Seldom does a man, either policeman or plain citizen, know the joy

that comes from stopping a runaway or rescuing a pretty girl and then having her throw her arms about his neck ecstatically as she speaks words like these:

"Brave man; brave, brave man."

And yet that is exactly what happened to Mounted Policeman Thomas Daly on last Sunday afternoon in Golden Gate Park.

Miss Virginia Hazleton, a tourist from Chicago, was the girl whom he rescued. Daly made no report of the affair to his captain.

Miss Virginia is barely four years old. She was visiting the park with her mother. The runaway steed was Pluto, the black goat, who hauls

boys and girls in a little cart around the race course in the Children's Playground.

It was this way: Miss Virginia started out to drive the goat around the track. Things went smoothly enough until Pluto espied a rift in the fence which had been made by the storm of the night before. Taking the bit in his teeth he made a dash for the opening and bolted through with cart and driver. Then he ran full tilt over the lawn.

Although this was the first runaway of her life and although she was not used to driving, Virginia did not lose her head. She sawed on the bit and cried "whoa" and screamed once or twice. But she kept her seat and tried hard to be cool. Over ruta and hummocks they bounced, Pluto lumbering up and getting more fractious all the while.

Meanwhile Daly in the distance took in the situation at a glance. Swinging his horse squarely into the path of the runaway he dismounted, watched his chance and seized Pluto by the reins just as he bolted by. After some little difficulty he managed to bring the captive steed to a halt.

It was then, after the danger was over, and in true womanly fashion, that Virginia flew into hysterics, threw her arms about Daly's neck, kissed him and said: "Brave man." No one was injured.

Said He—"So that is your chaperon at the phone. Is she up to date?" Said She—"Yes, in some ways; but she isn't up to any date I make."

If a man ever gives up a bad habit it is because he's tired of it.

## VICTOR RECORDS

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